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In response to the above dated September 7, 2005, please find attached the following
to be filed before the due date of **November 7, 2005**:

- 1) Copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements;
- 2) Executed Declaration for Utility Patent Application;
- 3) Executed Power of Attorney; and
- 4) Executed Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b).

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The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

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